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## What is claimed is:

- 1 1. A precise cutting device for splitting a test 2 piece, comprising:
- a microscope, comprising:
- a support arm;

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- a stage having an opening and movably connected to the arm to support the test piece; and
- a lens set disposed on the top of the support

  arm, adjustable to show the micro
  structure of the test piece;
- a cutter disposed under the stage of the microscope and passing through the opening to form notches on the surface of the test piece.
- 2. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim
  1, wherein the stage has a clip to fix the test piece and
  a first position adjuster to shift the test piece
  horizontally within a predetermined area.
- 3. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim
  1, further comprising:
- a second position adjuster disposed under the stage,
  elevating the vertical position of the cutter
  assembled thereon.
- 1 4. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim 2 1, wherein the cutter has a diamond tip.
- 5. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim
  1, wherein the cutter has a wheel knife at the tip of the
  cutter.

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1	6. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim
2	1, further comprising:
3	an image sensor disposed on the lens set, sensing
4	optical images and converting them into
5	electronic signals; and
6	a monitor electrically connected to the image sensor
7	and displaying the electronic signals.
1	7. The precise cutting device as claimed in claim
2	1, wherein the image sensor is a charge-coupled camera.
1	8. A test piece splitting method for a precise
2	cutting device with a microscope and a cutter, the
3	microscope having a stage with an opening, a lens set and
4	a first position adjuster, the cutter having a tip and
5	disposed under the stage of the microscope, the test
6	piece splitting method comprising the steps of:
7	providing a test piece having a surface with a
8	target point;
9	fixing the test piece to the stage with the surface
10	contacting the stage and the target point
11	disposed within the range of the opening;
12	adjusting the amplification of the lens set to show
13	a distinct view of the target point;
14	forming a first notch and a second notch on the
15	surface, wherein the first notch and the second
16	notch are aligned with the target point in a
17	predetermined line, and the distance between
18	the neighboring end points of the first notch

and the second notch is a first interval; and

- splitting the test piece along the predetermined 20 line. 21 9. The method as claimed in claim 8, wherein the 1 first interval is within 1mm to 50µm. 2 10. The method as claimed in claim 8, further 1 comprising the steps of: 2 changing the vertical position of the tip of the 3 cutter to contact the surface; moving the test piece disposed on the stage by the 5 first position adjuster to change the position of the tip to arrive at a first point on the 7 surface; raising the cutter a second distance to cut into the 9 test piece; 10 moving the test piece by the first position adjuster 11 to form the first notch; 12 lowering the cutter the second distance; 13 moving the test piece by the first position adjuster 14 to change the position of the tip to arrive at 15 a second point on the surface; 16 raising the cutter the second distance to cut into 17 the test piece; and 18 moving the test piece by the first position adjuster 19 to form the second notch. 20
  - 11. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the first point and the second point are the nearest points of the first notch and the second notch to the target point.

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12. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the second distance is about 50µm to 10µm.